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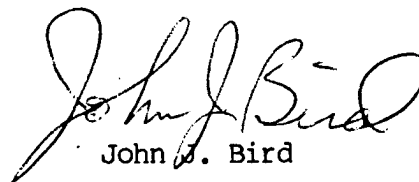
MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence  
Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: John J. Bird  
National Intelligence Officer for Warning

SUBJECT: Repercussions of Allegations of US Intelligence  
Support of Iraq

1. The recent London Times article stating that the US is providing intelligence information to Iraq may well cause a strong Iranian reaction, especially if Iran loses the on-going battle in the southern border area, as seems likely.

2. The Iranian reaction will probably include terrorist attacks against Americans and US interests, further heightening the threat situation in the Mid East.

  
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